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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 JACQUELINE LAWRENCE, et al.,

11 Plaintiff(s),

12 v.

13 LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE
14 DEPARTMENT, et al.,

15 Defendant(s).

Case No. 2:16-cv-03039-JCM-NJK

ORDER

(Docket Nos. 42-44)

16 Pending before the Court are petitions for appointment of guardian ad litem, Docket Nos. 42-44,
17 which appear unnecessary in light of the subsequent motion for appointment of guardian ad litem.
18 Docket No. 45.¹ Moreover, in violation of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Local Rules,
19 counsel has filed on the public docket the birth dates of the minors in each petition. *Compare, e.g.,*
20 Docket No. 42 at 2 *with* Fed. R. Civ. P. 5.2(a)(2) (redaction required for birth dates except as to the year
21 of birth), Local Rule IC 6-1(a)(3) (same).

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28 ¹ The Court expresses no opinion herein as to the motion for appointment of guardians ad litem at
Docket No. 45.

1 Accordingly, the petitions at Docket Nos. 42-44 are **DENIED** as unnecessary and **STRICKEN**
2 for violating the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Local Rules. To the extent the petitions were
3 intended to serve as factual support for the motion, they shall be refiled as declarations. Counsel shall
4 strictly comply with the redaction requirements for personal identifiers moving forward.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 DATED: January 8, 2018

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NANCY J. KOPPE
United States Magistrate Judge
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